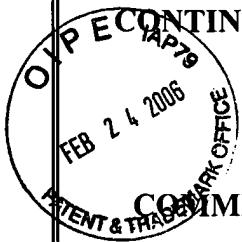


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<p style="text-align: center;"><b>REQUEST For CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE) TRANSMITTAL</b></p> <p>Address to:  <b>MAIL STOP RCE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS P.O. BOX 1450 ALEXANDRIA, VA 22313-1450</b></p> <p>(Revised 04/2005)</p> 	Application Number 10/751,384
	Filing Date January 5, 2004
	First Named Inventor: David John Targell
	Art Unit: 3763
	Examiner Name: Theodore J. Stigell
	Confirmation No.: 2667
	Attorney Docket No. 031749/308358

This is a request for **Continued Examination (RCE)** under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 of the above-identified application. Request for Continued Examination (RCE) practice under 37 CFR 1.114 does not apply to any utility or plant application filed prior to June 8, 1995, or to any design application.

February 24, 2006

**1. Submission required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114** Note: if the RCE is proper, any previously filed unentered amendments and amendments enclosed with the RCE will be entered in the order in which they were filed unless applicant instructs otherwise. If applicant does not wish to have any previously filed unentered amendment(s) entered, applicant must request non-entry of such amendment(s).

- a.  Previously submitted. If a final Office action is outstanding, any amendments filed after the final Office action may be considered as a submission even if this box is not checked.
  - i.  Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on
  - ii.  Other
- b.  Enclosed
  - i.  Amendment/Reply
  - ii.  Affidavits(s)/Declarations(s)
  - iii.  Information Disclosure Statement (IDS); \_\_\_\_\_ of cites listed on PTO Form 1449
  - iv.  Other: Amendment Cover Sheet w/\$250.00 check for additional claims

**2. Miscellaneous**

- a.  Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c) for a period of \_\_\_\_\_ months. (Period of suspension shall not exceed 3 months; Fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(i) required)
- b.  Other

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3. **Fees** The RCE fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e) is required by 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 when the RCE is filed.

a. The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fee deficiencies, or credit any overpayments to Deposit Account No. 16-0605.

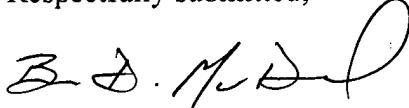
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(\$790.00 large entity; \$395.00 small entity)

ii.  Extension of Time Fee (37 C.F.R. §§ 1.136 and 1.17) (w/\$900 extension fee)

iii.  Other

b.  Checks in the amounts of \$790.00 + \$250.00 + \$900.00 enclosed

Respectfully submitted,



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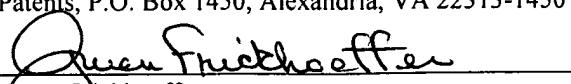
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I hereby certify that this paper or fee is being deposited with the United States Postal Service "Express Mail Post Office to Addressee" service under 37 CFR 1.10 on the date indicated above and is addressed to: Mail Stop RCE, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450



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